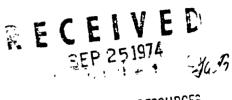


## City of Detroit

METRO WATER DEPARTMENT

September 24, 1974

Mr. William R. Hartman, Vice President Chem-Met Services, Incorporated 18550 Allen Road Wyandotte, Michigan



DEPT. OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Dear Mr. Hartman:

A sample of the effluent from your facility on Mellon Road in Detroit was taken last week. It was found to contain 56,000 parts per million suspended solids.

Our present ordinance limits total solids to 20,000 parts per million or a daily average of 2,000 parts per million. We are enclosing another copy of this ordinance for your reference. The limits for suspended solids is 10,000 parts per million or a daily average of 500 parts per million. Our proposed ordinance restricts suspended solids to 500 parts per million.

This is one of the highest readings we have received for suspended solids. in our whole system. We shall be saving this sample for awhile and it can be made available to you if you are unaware of the character of the effluent from your plant.

If we can assist you in any way, please do not hesitate to call us at 224-4750

Yours very truly,

Frank G. Pollard Associate Chemical Engineer Industrial Waste Control

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Enclosure

CC: Mr. David M. Dennis, DNR

Mr. Wayne Denniston, DNR V

Mr. Merle Crowe, DNR

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